

very good; the little inconveniences  
and weaknesses I am subject to  
are no just cause for complaint  
and I am very content and grate-  
ful to be as well and strong as  
I am.

We are making no plans for  
the summer as yet - but hope  
to leave the city - during August  
and Sept and make it possible  
to see you and to freshen up  
our memory of Cambridge -

George joins me in kind love to  
you - he will certainly write to  
you when the present rush of  
work is over

Sincerely your friend  
Emily E. Ingelmann

Feb 4 - 1889 -

Dear Mrs. Gray

The departure of  
those letters you wanted has  
been unduly delayed - for  
no good reason - but they  
had been sent the day before  
your letter to George arrived;  
and I hope they will have  
been delivered safe into your  
hands before this reaches you.  
We thank you very much

for your suggestion to let  
Dr. Gray's letters remain  
and go with father's herbarium  
and now that our attention has  
been called to it, can fully  
appreciate their value to the herbarium  
and gratefully accept their  
return. Until now we considered  
the matter from a personal  
point of view only and felt that  
we were not justified in retaining  
what we knew to be of great  
value to others; being ignorant  
and thoughtless of the fact, that

they could be made use of in  
connection with father's herbarium.

It must have appeared very  
unkind in me not to have  
answered your letter sooner.  
I had finished a note to you  
when George wrote during the  
holidays, but finding that the  
letters were very much alike  
destroyed mine and was prevented  
through indisposition from  
writing another.

On the whole my health has been